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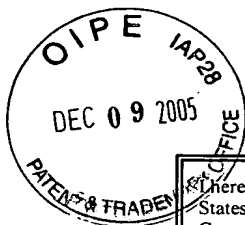
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AMENDMENT

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In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment of November 9, 2005 please amend the above identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.